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FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1917

Unless all signs fail the European war will continue for months to come.

President Wilson insists that his second inauguration be as simple as possible. He has put his foot down on efforts to revive the inaugural ball and offered suggestions for simplifying the parade.

According to announcement Gov. James M. Cox will deliver his first message to the eighty-second general assembly in person, following the example of President Wilson in submitting his messages.

D. C. Westenhaver of Cleveland has been recommended by Attorney General Gregory for appointment as Federal Judge for Northern Ohio to succeed Judge John H. Clarke, now on the supreme court bench.

Because of lack of equipment the only state troops that will be called out for inauguration of Governor-elect Cox next Monday will be one battalion of the Ohio naval militia, half of it from Cleveland, half from Toledo.

Purchases of nearly \$2,000,000,000 made the United Kingdom by far the best customer of the United States in 1916. An analysis by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce shows that no other nation bought so much by half. France, during the year, more than doubled her purchases here, but still fell a bit short of a \$1,000,000,000. Canada was third with \$600,000,000.

CORNERSBURG

Jan. 3—Mrs. James Grimm has returned from a few days' visit in Elizabethtown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckels called on Howard Corl Sunday.

Allen Peters has been cutting wood for Mark Wehr, Levi Corl and Howard Corl with his sawing outfit.

Mrs. Mary Yeager is seriously ill and is not expected to live.

I. Albrecht and family have moved to their new home in Struthers.

Jessie Kimberley visited Sunday in the home of W. H. Belcher.

Harry Weaver is spending a week with Lew Zimmerman.

Abner Houser has moved into the house recently vacated by I. Albrecht.

Gist Milliken, Maude Burgett, Roy Brooks and Mildred Brown accompanied a sled load to Youngstown Wednesday night.

Mrs. Chas. Straley and daughter Ruth were in Youngstown Friday.

Helen Lanterman attended a dance in the home of William Bartholomew Friday night.

A literary program will be given in the Tippecanoe school house Friday night.

Allen Peters and Miss Myrtle Messimer were married Sunday in Canfield by Rev. Mr. Moore of Alliance who is substituting for Rev. J. V. Haskell in his absence. Congratulations.

An oyster supper will be held in the M. E. Church Friday evening, Jan. 5. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

Mr. Zimmet and family have moved to the burg.

Mrs. Mary Yeager, widow of Amzi Yeager, died early Wednesday morning of paralysis, aged 80 years. She leaves one son, William. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon with burial in the Cornersburg cemetery.

GREENFORD

Jan. 4—Like spring this morning. The family of the late Mrs. Walter Callahan desire to thank friends for the kindness and sympathy shown in her last sickness and after her death; also the male quartette which furnished music at the funeral.

The 4th number of the grange course will be given Monday evening, Jan. 8, by the Teachworth Trio.

The newly elected officers of K. of P. Lodge will be installed Thursday evening.

The board of education and board of township trustees held their first meeting of the year Monday and reorganized. L. E. Coy is clerk of both boards and makes a very efficient official.

The schools of the township which were closed during the holiday season reopened Tuesday.

C. C. Pettit, who is employed by the Deering Co., and family will reside in Salem during the winter.

In loving remembrance of our mother, Mrs. Margaret E. Weikart, who passed away Jan. 3, 1916.

Gone, dear Mother, gone forever, And we miss your smiling face, But you left us to remember, No one on earth can take your place, We miss you from our homes, dear Mother.

We miss you from thy usual place; A shadow o'er our lives is cast, We miss the sunshine of your face, We miss your kind and loving hands, Thy fond and earnest care, Our homes are dark, dreary and sad, We miss your presence everywhere, The flowers we laid upon your grave, May wither and decay, But the love we had for you, dear Mother, Death can never take away.

So rest, dear Mother, your work is o'er, Thy gentle hands shall toil no more; No more your loving eyes shall weep, So rest, dear Mother, gently sleep.

Another reason why we think it is all right for a girl to drink cocktails in a restaurant is because her father probably is also a rounder.

CALLA

Jan. 4—John Paulin and family spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gee.

Leaster Templin spent Monday evening in Canfield.

Willis Houts and Edmund Hoffman went to Salem Monday evening where they have secured employment in the mill.

Little Ruth Miller of Marquis, who has chicken-pox, is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knauf and son John and Arthur Knauf of Toot's Corners spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Knauf.

Mrs. Lucinda Hollabaugh visited her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Hoffman, at Marquis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wagner spent New Year's in Leetonia visiting relatives.

Floyd Knauf visited Sunday at the home of his uncle, T. L. Knauf.

Mrs. Harry Mercer returned home Monday evening from Letonia where she spent several days visiting her husband and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sigle entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Goodman and daughters, Daisy and Esther, and son Leroy of Toot's Corners and Stacy Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers and daughter Edith were in Salem Saturday.

L. A. Coy of North Lima called on his father, David Coy, last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Padlin.

Geo. Frederick of Toot's Corners called here Tuesday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Callahan in Greenford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramsey went to Cleveland last Thursday where they will make their home.

Mrs. Archy Slagle of Youngstown, who is sick at the home of her father, L. Miller, is better at this writing.

Her little sons Robert and Dale are suffering with bad colds.

Little Wilbur Hoffman is sick at the home of Willis Houts, where his mother is staying.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lang entertained at supper Monday evening Miss Edith Reichstadt, Harvey Crumbracher and Miss Mildred Herron in honor of their son Albert's 21st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron and daughter Helen spent New Year's with relatives in Leetonia.

Mrs. Harry Mercer spent a few days with relatives in Leetonia.

The L. Templin Co. is sending out spring catalogues.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. George Grindie, Wednesday.

Albert Lang was given a surprise party Monday night. Those present were Misses Edith Roller, Daisy Goodman, Mabel Paulin, Edith Reichstadt, Nora Cook, Mildred Herron and Emma Lang; Myron Roller, Stacey Cook, Orrin Messier, Robert Shepherd, Walter Mellinger, Oscar Clay, Harvey Crumbracher, Myron Goodman, Dewey Bush and Albert Lang. At a late hour a dainty lunch was served.

Mr. Lang received many beautiful gifts. All returned to their homes wishing him many more happy birthdays.

M. B. Templin spent Monday in Youngstown.

NEW BUFFALO

Jan. 3—How many new leaves did you turn over for the New Year in the way of resolutions? Are you going to make every day a new year?

Well, anyway, do not forget, and then, live and let live.

Monroe Renkenberger and family of Cleveland spent several days here last week with his father.

Walter and Edward West of Chicago spent several days last week with their aunt, Mrs. E. G. Moff.

Mrs. E. G. Moff, Nora and Oliver Moff, Walter and Edward West spent last Friday with friends in Columbiana.

Laston Frederick returned to Greenview Tuesday to resume his studies in Thiel college.

John Morris is visiting in Canfield now for H. L. Weikart.

The Woman's Missionary meeting last Wednesday at Mrs. Emma Beard's passed a pleasant afternoon for the ten who were present.

Laston Frederick and sister Larue, Albert Charles Oliver and Nora Moff attended the basketball game in Canfield New Year's night.

Ed. Miller and children visited friends in Youngstown last week.

Homer Miller and family of Canfield visited at Perry Esterly's Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Hitchcock and son Ethan spent Sunday in Youngstown.

Mrs. Sarah Heintzelman is staying at Louis Greasel's.

Archie Renkenberger spent Sunday and Monday here with his father.

Archie Beard and family entertained on New Year's day Mrs. Emma Beard, Laston and Larue Frederick and Clark Baer and family.

Earl Rothge and wife of Youngstown spent Sunday and Monday here with relatives.

MARQUIS

Jan. 3—Vance Hoffman spent Tuesday night in Calla with his grandpa, Mrs. Hollabaugh.

Fred Reber and family entertained Sunday a number of friends and relatives from Alliance.

Coy brothers bought a tractor of the Manchester Co.

Edwin Hoffman is employed in Salem.

Guy Rhodes was here from Locust Grove one day last week.

Wm. Reber was home from Alliance Sunday.

Carl, Stella and Anna Coy visited in Calla Saturday.

Mrs. Edwin Hoffman and son Wilbur are spending some time in Calla.

After a week's vacation the children of the neighborhood started to school Tuesday.

W. H. Coy and family and E. W. Coy visited Sunday in Greenford and on Apple Avenue.

Chas. Edsall had one of his arms hurt while working at the clay mine.

YOUNGSTOWN

Mrs. Marian Rook, 93, and former Mayor Al Carlile of Salem led the grand march last Friday night at the veteran volunteer firemen's ball. Several hundred persons attended the big annual affair, and Mrs. Rook seemed to enjoy it as well as she did when at the similar social events fifty years ago.

Mrs. Rook is the widow of Capt. S. C. Rook, who served in the Mexican and civil wars. The ball was held in the Excelsior parlors, which served for that purpose for the last time, as the fifty-year-old structure is soon to be razed.

NORTH JACKSON

Jan. 3—The remains of Dillon Newhard of Lordstown were brought here for burial Wednesday.

Joseph Stille of Southington is spending some time here.

Mrs. W. W. McMillin is visiting her daughter in Ashtabula.

Sam Wikherstine, who has been sick the past two weeks with pneumonia, is able to sit up part of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford, who spent the past month in Alabama, returned home Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stroup, a son, Dec. 31.

Mrs. Nora Johnson was in Warren Monday.

Mrs. Lottie Ohl is visiting here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Printz, who has been sick the past week, remain about the same.

Frank Price sold his house and five acres to Homer Moore.

B. M. Weiss expects to soon move his family to Youngstown.

Installation of the Presbyterian minister, Rev. J. F. Kirkbride, occurred today.

Clyde Cole is selling quite a number of automobiles.

Charles Stroup of Youngstown is spending some time with his parents and sister.

Mrs. Mary Shively is ill with grip.

The Telephone Co. held its annual meeting Monday.

Frank Howard attended the funeral of John McKinney in Ellsworth Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Shrader attended a dance in Palmyra the other night.

Twenty-one cars of Pennsy freight train were wrecked at the station Monday night while coming from the south at 60 miles an hour. Fortunately no one was hurt. The property damage is heavy.

The will of Lydia McMahon, late of North Jackson, has been filed for probate.

The deceased bequeaths her gold watch and chain and one bed to her granddaughter, Geraldine Harke.

Harke, \$50 to her grandson, Robert McMahon, household goods to her daughter, Elsie Harke, \$250 to her son, John M. McMahon, and the remainder of her property equally between her son and daughter.

SMITH'S CORNERS

Jan. 3—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stout and daughter June have returned home to Pittsburgh after spending two weeks with Mrs. Lucy Snyder and family.

Wm. Shafer spent Sunday afternoon with Howard Snyder.

F. E. Wetmore and family of Canfield spent Sunday evening at Wm. Rowe's.

Howard Snyder is spending a few days in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowe and son Willie spent New Year's with F. E. Wetmore and family south of Canfield.

Randall Albert is visiting in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perkins and little daughter spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowe and son Willie spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. John McKnight.

Sarah Lawrence is very sick at Eli Crum's.

Paul Albert had the misfortune to have his Ford touring car catch fire Sunday evening. Considerable damage was done to the car.

Myrtle Doll is spending a few days with Mrs. Lucy Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeHoff of West Austintown spent New Year's at Eli Crum's.

Mrs. Lucy Snyder and daughter spent a few days with friends in Youngstown.

Margaretta Rowe spent Sunday afternoon with Evelyn Shafer of North Street.

Some ladies east of Smith's Corners won the championship this week sawing and splitting fire wood. Get busy men.

Sunday school next Sunday morning. Preaching Sunday evening by Rev. Hensel.

Revel services every night during the coming week, commencing Jan. 7 at 7:30.

TOOT'S CORNERS

Jan. 3—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knauf and son Dale spent Monday at Leonard Knauf's near Calla.

Mrs. S. A. Durr and Miss Ina Estery spent Monday afternoon at G. L. Frederick's.

Gertrude Knauf of Calla spent several days with her uncle, Hugh Knauf, and family.

Mrs. Ethel Knauf spent Sunday with her house, Ina Estery.

Mrs. Mel Frederick spent Monday with her son, G. L. Frederick.

Mrs. Hugh Knauf and son Dale and Gertrude Knauf spent Saturday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baird.

Miss Ina Estery called at Urban Moore's Tuesday afternoon.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hendricks of Lima, formerly of this place, received the news of the death of Mrs. Hendricks' uncle, James Young, Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks called for him during his illness.

EAST LEWISTOWN

Jan. 3—Chauncey Painter and Grandmother have returned home from a week's visit at Barborton.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis of Salem were callers at Irwin Cole's on New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leimbach were callers at M. M. Mellinger's on New Year's.

Mrs. Henry Forney and Mrs. Lydia Weaver were in Canfield one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Good of North Lima visited Sunday at Charles Doub's.

Norman Hetrick visited several days in New Springfield.

Mrs. Dell Landgraver and children were week-end visitors in Youngstown.

S. H. Martin called on Mr. and Mrs. Christian Boyer last Sunday.

Henry Blosser and Henry Landgraver were in Columbiana Tuesday. Don't forget to write it 1917.

Poultry Paragraphs.

Stale bread soaked in skimmed milk is great food for poultry, young or old.

The more light in the brood coop the better for chicks and mother hen.

Broken charcoal constantly before them is good for little chicks as well as mature fowls.

Dispatch job printing will please you

COUNTY SCHOOL COLUMN

The summary for the Silent Reading Test which was given in the schools of the county during the first week of December has been completed. The result in the graded schools of the county was as follows: In the 3rd grade 471 children were tested making a median score of 2.5 points; 4th grade 467 tested, median score 7.2 points; 5th grade 461 tested, median score 10.3 points; 6th grade 396 tested, median score 10.2 points; 7th grade 382 tested, median score 12.3 points; 8th grade 233 tested, median score 16.8 points; this shows the grades to be considerably below the medians secured by Kelly during the school year of 1915-16. During that year with the same test given to the children of city school systems he found the following: 3rd grade 6304 tested, median score 5.0 points; 4th grade 5434 tested, median score 9.4 points; 5th grade 5596 tested; median score 13.4 points; 6th grade 4821 tested, median score 13.8 points; 7th grade 4398 tested, 16.5 points; 8th grade 3979 tested, median score 19.2 points.

All the pupils in the grades tested were reckoned with in securing the final summary. The result was not discouraging in the least, however, when we remember that the medians secured by Kelly were secured only by testing city systems and that it represents only the school systems reported to him and to be sure, many systems doing work somewhat below the average would not report, therefore, the standards as arrived at by Kelly are to be regarded as somewhat above normal. In many instances we had schools in the county that surpassed the standards of Kelly. The results given above represent all the schools of the county taken collectively.

There is a marked contrast between the results obtained in the one-room schools as compared with those of the graded schools. There were 379 intermediate children tested in one-room schools giving a median score of 4.3 points; 313 grammar grade children tested giving a median score of 11.7 points; according to the Kelly standard these medians should have been 9.4 and 16.5, respectively.

In the high schools the results was as follows: There were 225 Freshmen tested giving a median score of 17.1; 149 Sophomores, median score 21.3 points; 83 Juniors, median score 25.1 points; 64 Seniors, median score 30.1 points. The results obtained by Kelly shows 1606 Freshmen, median score 22.7; 994 Sophomores, median score 24.7 points; 807 Juniors, median score 26.1 points; 675 Seniors, median score 28.3 points. The result therefore shows the Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors to be slightly below the standard test by Kelly and the Seniors surpassing same.

The test was thoroughly enjoyed by all and furnished a splendid stimulus to the subject of reading as well as giving us a basis for making certain deductions and comparisons.

As this goes to press, but a few of the teachers have reported the amount raised by their schools for the Children of America's Fund which contributions were taken at Christmas time for the children of war-stricken Europe. To date the following schools have reported: Coltsville Center \$837; Pleasant Grove \$450; Austintown \$255; Ellsworth Center \$150; Greenford schools \$7.01.

We note that the following Farmers' Institutes have been arranged for the month of January: New Springfield, Jan. 17 and 18. The meeting will be held in the school hall. Instructors are Mr. Housekeeper, Mr. Newcomb and Mr. McKee. Austintown 19th and 20th in the school auditorium. Instructors are Mr. Wagner, Mrs. McKee and Mr. Newcomb. Poland 19th and 20th, instructors same as above.

We are glad to announce that the week of January 15 to 19 an Extension School will be held in the Boardman centralized schools. The agricultural course will consist of instruction in soils and crops by W. E. Finger and animal husbandry by H. Pollock. It will be remembered that Mr. Pollock gave the high school boys of the county a week of instructions in stock-judging a year ago last March. The Home Economics Course will be given by Miss Nan Sharples and Miss Jessie Whitaker.

It has been decided by the board of education that all the high school students of the Boardman centralized schools will be required to take this full week of instructions—the girls taking the home economics course and the boys the agricultural course.

On Saturday, January 13, Mr. H. A. Lehman, the new county agent for the Mahoning county, W. H. Palmer, State Leader of Boys' and Girls' Club Work, Gail T. Abbott, Field Agent for the Barrett Company of Medina, and Mr. James M. McKay, president of the Mahoning County Improvement Association, will meet in the office of the County Superintendent to discuss plans for the Boys' and Girls' Club work of the county for the coming year.

The next teachers' examination will be held in the Rayen high school, Youngstown, Saturday, Jan. 6, beginning at 8:30 a. m., eastern time.

Miss Margaret Erickson of Lowellville has been selected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Margaret Kennedy of the Coltsville high school. Mrs. Ruth Peck, who taught last year in the 3rd and 4th grades in the Poland schools, has been elected to teach the 5th grade in the Lowellville schools.

THE MOTHER HEART

I never touch the wonder of her hair: Her golden nimbus like a sunlit mist,

That curls of other children are not theirs.

We hands unkempt, unkissed.

I never feel her small, confiding hand Slippe softly, like a flower, within my own.

But other little ones beside her stand, Unloved, untaught, unknown.

I never bend above her rosy sleep, Or kneel in gratitude beside her bed, But other babes in outer darkness weep,

Unwatched, uncomfited.

O, little daughters whom no mother tends!

O, wee lost lambs that stray in stony ways!

How shall we find you?—and how make amends For our child's happy days?

—Collier's.

Mr. Feavish says the only time he ever got the best of an argument with Mrs. Feavish was once when he kept his mouth shut.

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